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PREPARATIONS FOR MILITARY OPERATIONS
GHAZNI MILITARY CAMP SE, AFGHANISTAN

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1. (SWN) SIGNIFICANCE: ELEMENTS OF THE SOVIET MOTORIZED RIFLE REGIMENT (MRR) HAVE FORMED CONVOYS IN PREPARATION FOR DEPARTURE.
2. (SWN) REMARKS: MRR ELEMENTS ASSEMBLED IN CONVOYS INCLUDE FOUR MR COMPANIES (CO), ONE TANK CO, ELEMENTS OF TWO 122MM HOWITZER D-30 BATTERIES, ONE BMP ARMORED PERSONNEL CARRIER-EQUIPPED RECONNAISSANCE ELEMENT, ASSAULT ENGINEER ELEMENTS, AND 35 TRUCKS/SUPPORT VEHICLES. APPROXIMATELY 300 PERSONNEL ARE IN FORMATION IN FRONT OF THE CONVOYS. THE PRESENCE OF ENGINEERING EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING ONE MINE CLEARING TANK, INDICATES THAT THIS UNIT IS PREPARING TO CONDUCT OPERATIONS OUTSIDE THE IMMEDIATE GHAZNI AREA.

(SWN) GHAZNI IS 40 NM SOUTHWEST OF KABUL IN EAST-CENTRAL AFGHANISTAN.

3. COORDINATES 33-29-40N 068-30-00E

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